

BUILDING POWERFUL PARTNERSHIPS IN THE DIABETES COLLABORATIVE

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Steps

- DPCP and CHCs attend collaborative training
- Develop working relationship
- DPCP conducts site visits to facilitate collaboration and communication
- Identify needs of clinics
- Identify and provide resources
- CHCs build registry and provide data
- AUCH (Utah Primary Care Association) provides technical assistance and facilitates communication



Partnership

DPCP

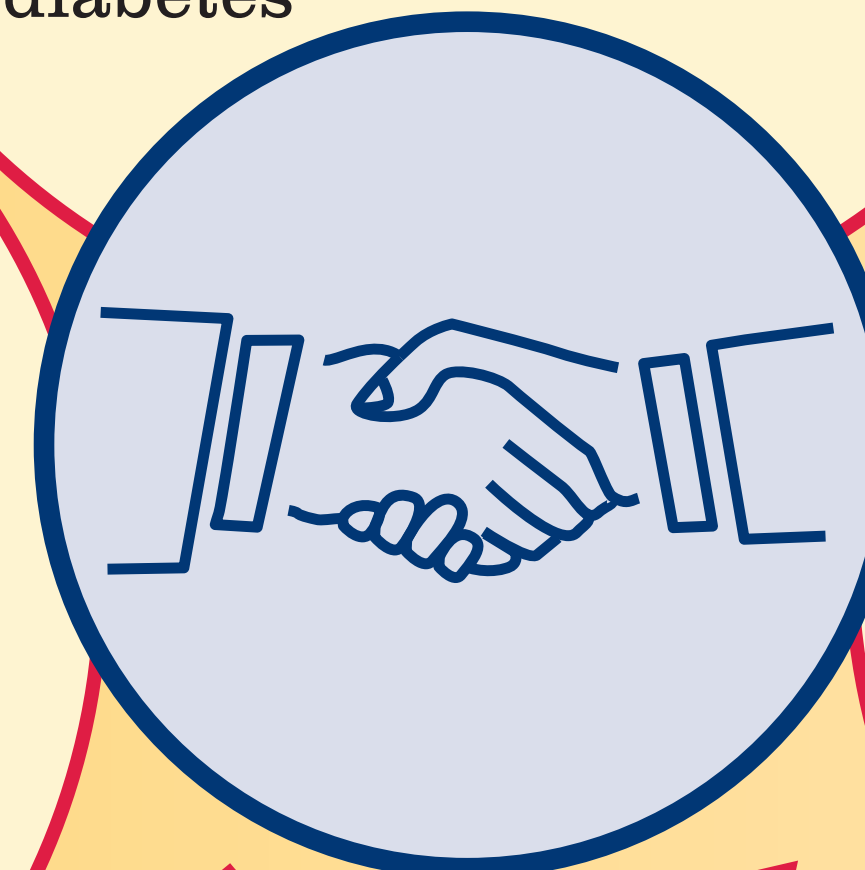
Provides:

- Funds for data entry
- Computers and Via Video equipment
- Monthly training (provider and non-medical)
- Equipment
- Educational materials in various languages
- National and local data on diabetes

CHC

Provides:

- Teams to implement Care Process Model
- Expertise on clinical management of patients
- Culturally appropriate interactions
- Development of diabetes registry
- Data collection & sharing
- Outcome collection
- Patient education



AUCH

Provides:

- Chronic Care Coordinator gives technical assistance to CHCs to:
- Implement Care Process Model
 - Establish goals
 - Develop diabetes registry
 - Collect and provide data to DPCP
 - Overcome barriers to successful collaboration



Outcomes

- Improved patient care, testing rates and outcomes (see handout)
- Improved resource allocation
- Increased trust and understanding
- Improved communication